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#### G.W.'S SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING AND APPLIED SCIENCE HONORS EIGHT GRADUATES

Eight graduates received awards at commencement ceremonies for The George Washington University's School of Engineering and Applied Science, Sunday, May 5.

**Uzair Mansoor Siddiqui**, of 5929 Veranda Dr., **Springfield, VA**, was honored with the Norman B. Ames Memorial Award, recognizing his outstanding contributions to academic and student life at GW. A native of Pakistan, Siddiqui graduated with a bachelor of science degree in electrical engineering.

**Jeffrey Michael Weiss**, of 13838 Turnmore Rd., **Silver Spring, MD**, received the Martin Mahler Prize in Materials Testing. The award carries a one-year membership in the American Society for Testing Materials. He won the award based on reports he submitted in the materials laboratory course.

Six graduates received design awards based on projects undertaken during their senior year. **Rick George Buckovich**, of 230 McMasters Dr., **Monroeville, PA**, earned the design award in civil engineering for his report, "Analysis, Design and Cost Estimate of a Parking Garage." Buckovich graduated with a bachelor of science degree in civil engineering.

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**Mark David Braunstein**, 4546 King Edward Court, **Annandale, VA**, won the design award in the field of electrical engineering for his project, "Design and Development of a 2716 'E-Prom' Programmer." Braunstein graduated with a BS in electrical engineering.

**Michael Francis D'Antonio**, 3426 Greentree Dr., **Falls Church, VA**, earned the design award for computer science. An electrical engineering major, D'Antonio won the prize for his project, "Microcomputer-based Color Graphic Subsystem."

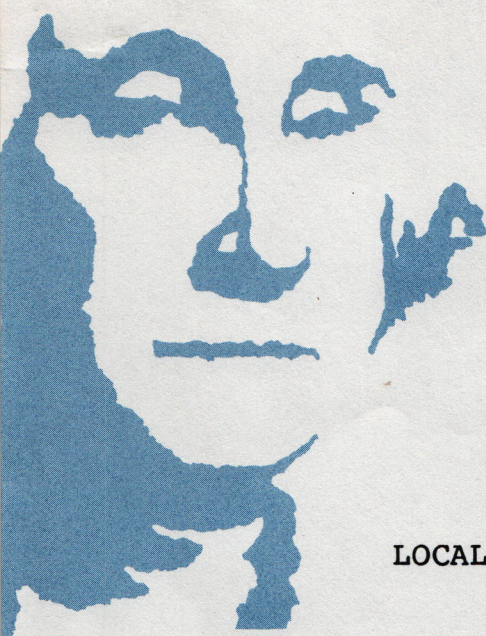
**Kiat Hong Toh**, 10500 Grosvenor Place, **Rockville, MD**, was honored for his mechanical engineering design project, "Design of a Three-Dimensional, Path-Generating Device." Toh earned a BS in mechanical engineering.

**Amos Kenyon**, of 1611 Kennedy Pl., NW, **Washington, DC**, and **Craig Lee Waters**, of 106 Palm Circle, **Eglin Air Force Base, FL**, were co-winners of the design award in the area of operations research and computational science for their work, "An Approach to the United States Postal Service Air Transportation Network Design Problem." Both Kenyon and Waters earned a BS in operations research and computational science.

More than 2,100 degrees were conferred in six separate graduation ceremonies at GW.

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**LOCAL RESIDENT HONORED AT G.W. GRADUATION**

Leslie Suelter received a G.W. Award at graduation ceremonies for The George Washington University, Washington, DC on Sunday, May 5 in recognition of her outstanding contributions to university life.

Suelter, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Clarence Suelter, 1209 Old Hickory Lane, East Lansing, graduated with a masters degree in public administration from GW's School of Government and Business Administration.

She was honored for her involvement in the GW Student Association as vice president for graduate affairs. In that role, she helped make the GW graduate student body a more unified and visible group.

As a residence hall director, Suelter also actively supported GW resident life. She participated in the annual Vital Issues, Varied Options Conference, the GW Town Meetings and served as a student representative to the GW administration considering registration changes.

Suelter was one of seven members of the university community who were singled out for the GW Award this year.

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